

## Declaration And Power Of Attorney For Patent Application

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:  
My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated  
below next to my name. I believe that I am the original, first  
and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an  
original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed  
below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a  
patent is sought on the invention entitled:

METHOD FOR INCREASING EFFICIENCY IN A MULTI-PROCESSOR SYSTEM AND  
MULTI-PROCESSOR SYSTEM WITH INCREASED EFFICIENCY

the specification of which (check one)

X is attached hereto

was filed on \_\_\_\_\_

as Application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_

and was amended on \_\_\_\_\_

(if applicable)

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents  
of the above identified specification, including the claims, as  
amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material  
to the patentability of this application in accordance with Title  
37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United  
States Code, § 119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or  
inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified  
below any foreign application for patent or inventor's  
certificate having a filing date before that of the application  
on which priority is claimed:

Prior Foreign Application(s)

Priority Claimed

\_\_\_\_ (NONE)

\_\_\_\_  
(Number)

\_\_\_\_  
(Country)

\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No  
(Day/Month/Year Filed)

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code,  
§ 120 of any United States Application(s) listed below and,  
insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this  
application is not disclosed in the prior United States  
application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of  
Title 35, United States Code, § 112, I acknowledge the duty to  
disclose information material to the patentability of this  
application as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations,  
§ 1.56(a) which occurred between the filing date of the prior

application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

— (NONE) 08/932,826      September 18, 1997      Pending  
(Application Serial No.)      (Filing Date)      (Status: Patented, Pending, Abandoned)

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

POWER OF ATTORNEY: As a named inventor I hereby appoint the following attorney(s) and/or agent(s) to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected herewith. (List name and registration number)

Matthew J. Bussan - 33,614	Owen J. Gamon - 36,143
Pryor A. Garnett - 32,136	Karuna Ojanen - 32,484
Steven W. Roth - 34,712	Roy W. Truelson - 34,265
Christopher A. Hughes - 26,914	Edward A. Pennington - 32,588
John E. Hoel - 26,279	Joseph C. Redmond, Jr. - 18,753
Raymond C. Stewart - 21,066	Terrell C. Birch - 19,382
Joseph A. Kolasch - 22,463	Anthony L. Birch - 26,122
James M. Slattery - 28,380	Bernard L. Sweeney - 24,448
Michael K. Mutter - 29,680	Charles Gorenstein - 29,271
Gerald M. Murphy, Jr. - 28,977	Leonard R. Svensson - 30,330
Terry L. Clark - 32,644	Marc S. Weiner - 32,181
Andrew D. Meikle - 32,868	Joe McKinney Muncy - 32,334
Andrew F. Reish - 33,443	C. Joseph Faraci - 32,350

Send Correspondence to: Birch, Stewart, Kolasch & Birch, LLP  
P. O. Box 747  
Falls Church, Virginia 22040-0747

Direct Telephone Calls to: (703) 205-8000

Full name of sole or first inventor: Donald Lee FREERKSEN

Inventor's signature: Donald Lee Freerksen Date: 12/24/97

Residence: 412 44th Court N.W.  
Rochester, Minnesota 55901

Citizenship: United States

Post Office Address: Same as Above

---

Full name of second-joint inventor, if any: Gary Michael LIPPERT

Inventor's signature: Gary Michael Lippert Date: 12/24/97

Residence: R.R. 2, Box 61B  
Kasson, Minnesota 55944

Citizenship: United States

Post Office Address: Same as Above

---

Full name of third-joint inventor, if any:

Inventor's signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Residence:

Citizenship:

Post Office Address: Same as Above

---

Full name of fourth-joint Inventor, if any:

Inventor's signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Residence:

Citizenship:

Post Office Address: Same as Above

---

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Donald L. Freerksen, et al. Date: May 29, 2001  
Serial No.: Unassigned Group No.: Unassigned  
Filed: Herewith Examiner: Unassigned  
For: METHOD FOR INCREASING EFFICIENCY  
IN A MULTI-PROCESSOR SYSTEM AND  
MULTI-PROCESSOR SYSTEM WITH  
INCREASED EFFICIENCY

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

**ASSOCIATE POWER OF ATTORNEY  
AND CHANGE OF ATTORNEY'S ADDRESS**

The following are hereby appointed attorneys of record to prosecute the above entitled application and transact all business with the Patent & Trademark Office in connection therewith:

James R. Nock	Reg. No. 42,937
William J. McGinnis, Jr.	Reg. No. 25,698
Leslie J. Payne	Reg. No. 26,378
Grant A. Johnson	Reg. No. 42,696

Please send all correspondence for this application as follows:

Steven W. Roth  
IBM CORPORATION  
Department 917  
3605 Highway 52 North  
Rochester, Minnesota 55901-7829

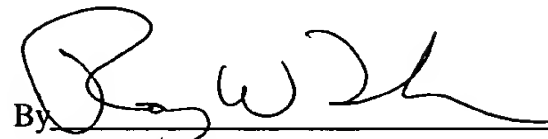
Docket No.: ROC919970187US2  
Serial No.: Unassigned

Please direct telephone calls to:

Roy W. Truelson  
(507) 289-6256

Respectfully submitted,

DONALD L. FREERKSEN, et al.



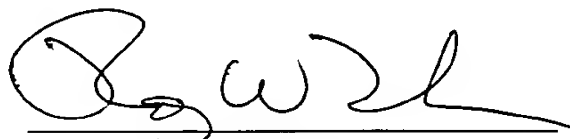
By \_\_\_\_\_  
Roy W. Truelson  
Attorney Reg. No. 34,265

IBM CORPORATION  
Department 917  
3605 Highway 52 North  
Rochester, Minnesota 55901-7829

-----  
Express Mail Certificate of Mailing (37 CFR 1.10)

Express Mail Label No. EK899953259US  
Date: May 29, 2001

I hereby certify that I am depositing this paper with the U.S. Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service on the above date, addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.



\_\_\_\_\_  
Roy W. Truelson

Docket No.: ROC919970187US2  
Serial No.: Unassigned